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improve the conditions under which young, and sometimes old people, enter into wedlock. This is strictly an emotional thing and I would not belabor it any further. I simply do not concur in this concept. I think five days is by, all means, reasonable. I would oppose the proposition of reducing it to two days.

PRESIDENT: Senator Barnett.

SENATOR BARNETT: Mr. President and members, I'd just like to concur with Senator Murphy this time. I tried to kill it in committee because I thought, as a matter of fact I tried to amend it in committee to be 30 days instead of 5. We would have made it more if we could have but we didn't have enough support. I hope the body sees fit to do this, that we do kill it. I think you're going to have an area that's outside the United States that has a quicky divorce right now, and a quicky marriage license and you're going to have that in the State of Nebraska if you keep it up. I hope we'd support Senator Murphy.

PRESIDENT: Senator Frank Lewis.

SENATOR F. LEWIS: Mr. Chairman, I see absolutely nothing wrong with 2 days. All of us are talking about making judgements of waiting. Once they get to that point in the pike, I'll tell you one thing, they're going to go ahead anyway. I think we have to have this point in time that's necessary to do it. It appears 2 days to us. If Murph thinks 3 more days would have saved them, that's fine. He should have been around 15 years ago and he could have saved me then. It's too late now. Let's move it with 2 days.

PRESIDENT: Senator Kelly.

SENATOR KELLY: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I respectfully call the attention of the body to the committee statement. The whole thrust of this committee statement is strictly that this makes it easier for the court administrator. It makes it easier to handle the paperwork. There's nothing in this committee statement that has to do with the people effected versely or adversely regarding the marriage. There's nothing in there what so ever about how it will effect the people, except from the Women's Lobby. In their opinion it would effect the people adversely. The committees point view that this is a good bill is strictly that it makes it easy for the bureaucrats. I would support Senator Murphy's kill motion.

PRESIDENT: Senator Cavanaugh.

SENATOR CAVANAUGH: I'm against the kill motion. I had a couple of experiences with these cases. My experience has been that the 5 day period doesn't have anything to do with when the people made up their mind to get married, or how mature a judgement they made on it. The fact is that most people don't know that there is a 5 day waiting period. I've had three experiences in my practice of law where people have come to me in a crisis situation saying we have got the wedding all set up for this Saturday, it's Wednesday of the same week. We've just been to the court house and found out that we can't get married on Saturday. We've sent out our invitations. We've rented the hall, we've